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ing problem before the State Democra-In neither year was there any opposi-

gained for itself the unenviable distincbeing a party governed far than by any settled principles. Democratic party has been charged

otes and the election, which de- in politics. paign must be waged which will de

nd a delegation to Denver that will go free from all entangling alliances, and prepared and willing to support

THE CANDIDATES AND THE FANS. llowed Mr. Bryan to let the at the robber umpire-this is no light thing. The national game takes the measure of a man. We may safely predicate as an axiom that no man can ever be elected President of this country who prefers chess,

The Johnson boomers have been quick to take advantage of the apparent defenselessness of Mr. Bryan These people are belated and eleventhhour performers, no doubt, but none can deny that they are devilish sly From their press headquarters now comes the statement that John A. John son not only likes baseball, but one played it incomparably. One of the big leagues made him a flattering offer in the days of his adolescence ered ground marvelously, had a wing like a piston and made left-hand pickups while looking the other way. Throwing a man out at the plate from deep centre-field was like plucking to the bleachers as Home-Run Johnson. What man with a heart in his
bosom could resist a candidate like
that?

The Republicans, it is understood, are

will tail in their civic duty.

We believe that nobody has yet accused Mr. John Hays Hammond of seeking the vice-presidency for mercelarge many is visiting the colleges of agricultural chemistry and technology in the Imperial Agricultural High School of Venna,
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not blind to the urgent importance of annexing the sun-kissed pop-bottle to the fact that Clark Griffith and his New York Americans were graciously received by Mr. Roosevelt the other day, and that Mr. Taft, himself overplump for running bases, has a son who promises to be a wizard at the gaine. But the crucial struggle is between the two leaders of Democracy-Bryan, who doesn't care for baseball and haply never fielded his turn at one-old cat, and Johnson, who invariably bit their heads off no matter how hot they came. The Johnson people, unhappily, have held their rumins too long. If they had revealed the true hasis of their candidate's strength ear. He citizens of Reval, doubtless, are lier, they might have made history.

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doubt that they are numerous enough to laugh at all opposition and decorate the White House?

Mayo's Bridge has been abandoned for street car traffic, the present Free means of approach both in Richmone Bridge is most unsatisfactory.

There is small profit to Manchester rom the magnificent manufacturing off from communication with Rich-SEND THE DELEGATES UNFETTER- rious burden of difficult approach. The Dispatch has constantly le Convention in Roanoke. Examina- Richmond and Manchester should commond and Manchester should not com bine to build a bridge which shall be commensurate with the dignity and

The population of Richmond and add to the comfort, the convenience and the happiness of unborn genera

party control has attained under the most tactfully daring of modern polisees fit to promulgate, simply, ticians is now on daily exhibition in When He Sat Down. the same time to stand the exemplar

The question of choosing its presidential candidate has for several months been one of moment in the this important subject, or patiently

in the abstract political faith of the President.

trict will go to the polls and vote upor the proposal to issue \$40,000 bonds for of \$20,000, in which only twelve votes were cast against the proposal in a total of 129. Front Royal has likewise voted for its school bonds, and it und responsibilities in this instance it will be absolutely out of line with the New Zealand. and responsibilities in this instance it

will be absolutely out of line with the print of the rest of Virginia.

Because Virginia has done great things for education in the last decade, and because, since 1904, Brookland has will serve 24,000 lines. There are now about \$,500 entering the building. It has been decided that a congress of the chambers of commerce of the British empire will meet in Australia during the year 1900. spirit of the rest of Virginia. things for education in the last decade, and because, since 1904, Brookland has educational progress, this district has all the more reason why it should meet been a leader and a banner-bearer in all the more reason why it should meet
the demand for better facilities in the
way in which it should be met. The
amount of tax involved in raising this
bond issue is only an increase of 2
cents in a hundred dollars, and it is
not believed that the people of Brook
He paid \$30,000 for it.

"A Kentucky man almost lost his life in a bath-tub," asseverates the At-lanta Georgian. Those Kentucky fel-lows ought to be careful of experi-menting with novelties.

William Loeb, Jr., at any rate, can hardly have falled to note that fresh outbreak of second-elective terminology.

The mention of Hon. George Bruce Cortelyou for the vice-presidency is useful as reminding the general public that Hon. George is still with us.

# Rhymes for To-Day

is safe to say that if Brookland Dis-trict falls to measure up to its duties of forty-bre workmen.

States.

In commemoration of the thirtieth anniversary of his graduation, Secretary Taft will attend the commencement exercises at Yale June 22d and deliver an address. He will leave Washington on Sunday, June 21st, for New Haven.

Robert, Sewell, of Stidham, a Creek Indian, is one of the most widely traveled men in Chiahoma, having been in England and on the continent of Europe, besides having claimed a residence in both South America and Australia.

Dr. Richard Henry Lewis has revived as

Dr. Richiard Henry Jesse has retired as precident of the Missouri State University after a service of seventeen years, during which time the college has been put on its light plane (c) efficiency largely through his labors.

The eightieth anniversary of the birth of Count Leo Tolstoi will be marked by the namicipal council of Moscow by the opening of September 16th of a public library in Moscow, and by giving the count's name to the school he attended in his youth.

Chase City's Gratification Over Recent Articles in This Paper.

In the past two Sunday editions The Richmond Times-Dispatch has made the citizens of Chase City feel an additional pride in their thriving little city and has caused us all to throw our shoulders to the wheel of progress with renewed energy and determination by the handsome write-up of the town's many advantages and the thrift and push of its business men. We believe that The Times-Dispatch in inducting this additional feature to its widediy-circulated paper did a most wise thing for the State of Virginia, for every lown so fortunate as to get into this industrial section has its advantages and resources advertised to the world in a manner that would be impossible in any other way. There is no possible way by which a correct estimate can be made to enable one to tell the good results that an advertisement of this nature will bring, to a town, for our Richmond contemporary covers an area equally as hard to estimate—it visits homes in many foreign lands as well as its own—and what appears in its valued columns nevor fail to count. We lift our hats in token of appreciation for the nice things said about our town, and to Prother Woodson and the great paper that he represents we say; 'Here is to the two,''—Chase City Progress.

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